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Appl. No. : 10/678,975 Confirmation No. 1558  
Applicant : Yasuyuki Nozuyama  
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Examiner : John P. Trimmings  
  
Docket No. : 352003-991290 (Formerly  
2102487-991290)  
Customer : 26379  
No.

Title: APPARATUS FOR SELECTING TEST PATTERNS OF LOGIC CIRCUIT,  
COMPUTER IMPLEMENTED METHOD FOR SELECTING TEST PATTERNS,  
AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR CONTROLLING A COMPUTER  
SYSTEM SO AS TO SELECT TEST PATTERNS

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

M/S: AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicants request the Examiner to consider the following Response in reply to the Office Action, mailed on March 20, 2006, for the above-referenced application. A Petition for Extension of Time (one month) accompanies this Communication.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 10 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.

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